# PORTLAND BEAVERS LEAD BATTING LIST

## Percentage of Local Coast Leaguers .278, With Los Angeles Second.

## VENICE BEST AT FIELDING

### McCredie's Team Near Cellar of Column for Fielding—Rodgers Head of Base Stealers and Lober Has Homerun Record.

Coast League Standings.

| | W. | L. | Pct. | | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 80 | 60 | .571 | Venice | 79 | 73 | .520 |
| Los Ang. | 83 | 69 | .547 | Sacramento | 66 | 87 | .431 |
| San Fran. | 82 | 70 | .540 | Oakland | 59 | 90 | .396 |

Yesterday's Results.

At Los Angeles—Los Angeles 12, Venice 2. Other teams traveling.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—Portland leads in the Pacific Coast League with a batting percentage of .278. Los Angeles second with .272 and Oakland stands third in club batting with .263.

Club fielding percentages show Venice first, with .966, leading San Francisco by two points. Oakland, in sixth place, has .960, and Portland, leading the league on the games' average, has only one foot out of the fielding cellar. Sacramento is the weakest fielding club, with .955. Portland, with .959, is not conspicuously better.

Carlisle, of Venice, and Hari Maggart, of Los Angeles, are consistently first and second best run-getters, the former with 92, the latter with 91.

Rodgers, of Portland, with 64 stolen bases for the season, is the only conspicuous base-runner of the league.

The heavy hitters continue to restrict their circle to the same little group. Lober hasn't made any more home runs, but his nine for the season against eight for Bayless, of Venice, and seven for Wolter, of Los Angeles, are enough to keep him in front.

Wolter, of Los Angeles, has 17 triples for the season and so has Bayless. Fitzgerald, of San Francisco, comes third with 12.

Rowdy Elliott, of the Venice club, established himself in third place again with a batting mark of .315.

### ANGELS PRACTICE BATTING

#### Nice, Safe, Easy Hits Pounded Out in 12-to-2 Game.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 31.—Los Angeles took a long, slow game from Venice today, 12 to 2. Los Angeles practiced batting and Venice tried to field in rather futile fashion, as the score indicates.

Eight of the ten Los Angeles players hit nice, safe, easy hits from one to four times during the session. The score:

| Los Angeles— | B | H | O | A | E | Venice— | B | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wolter, r.. | 6 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | Carlisle, l.. | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Metzger, 3. | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | Leard, 2... | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Mag'ert, m | 6 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | Meloan, m. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Abstein, 1. | 6 | 2 | 15 | 0 | 0 | Wilhoit, r. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Ellis, l.... | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | Borton, 1.. | 4 | 1 | 13 | 1 | 0 |
| Moore, s... | 5 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | Hosp, 3... | 4 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 1 |
| Page, 2.... | 4 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 0 | McArdle, s. | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Brooks, c.. | 5 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | McClain, c. | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Ryan, p... | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Henley, p.. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ehmke, p. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Smith, p... | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| | | | | | | Rader, x... | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | | | | | | Lewis, *, c.. | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals.. | 43 | 19 | 27 | 13 | 1 | Totals.. | 36 | 6 | 27 | 14 | 2 |

*Batted for McClain in sixth.

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|---|---|
| Los Angeles | 2 1 0 5 0 1 1 0 2—12 |
| Hits | 2 1 0 4 1 2 2 2 3—19 |
| Venice | 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—2 |
| Hits | 0 0 1 2 2 0 1 0 0—6 |

Runs, Wolter 3, Metzger 2, Maggert 2, Page, Brooks 3, Ryan, Carlisle, Borton. Three-base hit, Borton. Two-base hits, Moore, Wilhoit, Brooks, Wolter, Maggert. Sacrifice hit, Metzger. Struck out, by Henley 3, by Ryan 1, by Smith 3. Bases on balls, off Henley 3, off Ryan 3, off Smith 1. Runs responsible for, Henley 3, Ryan 2, Smith 3. Nine hits, 3 runs, 21 at bat off Henley in 4 innings. Six hits, 2 runs, 28 at bat, off Ryan in 7 innings. Charge defeat to Henley. Credit victory to Ryan. Wild pitches, Henley 3. Stolen bases, Ellis and Brooks. Time of game, 2 hours and 6 minutes. Umpires—Finney and Phyle.

# WORLD RECORD BROKEN

### DIRECTUM II, WINNER OF PACE, IS SENSATION AT SYRACUSE.

#### Star Winter, Trotter, Driven by Lou McDonald, Loses First Heat of Season and Also 2:10 Trot.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Aug. 31.—Directum II, the chestnut stallion owned by James Butler, New York City, and driven by Robert Snedeker, furnished the sensation of the opening day's programme at the Grand Circuit races here today by establishing two new world's records and equaling the pacing record of two minutes established by Williams at Grand Rapids earlier this season.

In winning the free-for-all pace, valued at $5000, Directum II stepped the last two or three heats in two minutes flat, beating Frank Bogash in each. Frank Bogash won the first heat in 2:02½. By pacing in two minutes in the third heat, Directum II broke the record of 2:00½ established by Star Pointer at Springfield, Ill., in 1897. The average time of the winner gives him the world's race record of more than one heat.

The meeting was not without other features, in that Star Winter, the sensational trotter, driven by Lou McDonald, lost his first heat of the season today. He also lost the race, the 2:10 trot, Marta Pellini nosing him out in the stretch of three sensational heats.

Lee Axworthy had things his own way in the three-year-old stake. Leila Patchen won the final race, the 2:12 pace, after five heats. No horse won more than two heats, but because of the Syracuse conditions the race was terminated at the end of five heats. Summary:

The Messina (amateur) 2-year-old trot, 2 in 3, value $2500—
Eudora Spier, blk. f., by Directum Spier-Eudora, by Wilton.....
.....(E. L. White) 1 1
Native King II, ch. s.....(Hopkins) 2 2
Denton Hale, blk. g.....(Alvord) 3 3
Also started: Colonel King, b. s. (Cahill); Rheagale, br. f. (Quencer).
Time—2:22¼, 2:23¼.

Free-for-all pace, 2 in 3, value $5000—
Directum I, ch. h., by Directum Kelly-Isetta, by Pactolus.....
.....(Snedker) 2 1 1
Frank Bogash, Jr., b. g..(Murphy) 1 2 2
Earl Jr., gr. s.....(Cox) 3 3 3
Braden Direct, blk. h.....(Egan) 4 ds
Time—2:02, 2:00, 2:09.

2:10 trot, 3 in 5, The Onendaga, value $5000—
Marta Pellini, b. m., by Bellini-Moneta, by Mendicino.....
.....(Dickerson) 1 1 1
Star Winter, b. g.....(McDonald) 2 2 3
Brighton B., b. g.....(Murphy) 4 3 2
Also started: Henrietta C. b. m. (Hall); Bismya, b. m. (Proctor); Harry J. S., blk. h. (Andrews); Starlight McKinney, b. m. (Phelps); Lady Grattan, ch. m. (Cox).
Time—2:05¼, 2:08¼, 2:07¼.

The Ka Noo No, 3-year-olds, 2:15 trot, 2 in 3, $2000—
Lee Axworthy, b. c., by Guy Axworthy-Gaiety Lee, by Hingen.....
.....(Andrews) 1 1 1
W. J. Leyburn, br. c.....(McCarthy) 2 2 2
Adbell M., b. c.....(McDonald) 3 4 3
Also started: Kathryn Colette, br. f. (Cox); Treledor, br. c. (Dickerson); Adbell A. Watts, b. f. (McDevitt); Miss Perfection, b. f. (Deryder).
Time—2:10¼, 2:10¼, 2:09¾.

2:12 pace, $ in 5, $1000—
Lelia Patchen, blk. m., by Dan's Brother Jenny Stanly, by Indianapolis.....(Snow) 6 1 1 4 2
Major Woolworth, br. s.....
.....(Hubbard) 1 2 2 3 4
T. C. S., ch. g.....(Murphy) 5 3 3 2 1
Also started: The Assessor, ch. g. (McMahon); Lustrous McKinney, b. m. (Redney); Peter S., b. g. (Deryder); Coastess Mobel, b. m. (Cox).
Time—2:05¾, 2:05¼, 2:07¼, 2:05¼, 2:10¼.

### GOODE-LEWIS BOUT IS OFF

#### Portland Boy Accused of Holding Back, by Intended Foe.

OREGON CITY, Aug. 31.—(Special.)—"The go with Sammy Goode, scheduled for Labor day at Butte, is off," says Jack Lewis in a letter to friends here. Lewis is the man who was to have met the Portland boy in a six-round bout.

"It looks to me as if Goode is stalling for time," says Lewis. "He expects to wait until the last minute to close the deal and then rush us in and fight immediately after stepping from the train, which would leave me in the poorest shape."

According to Lewis the forfeits have not been posted.

### LEFTOVERS LOOK FOR GAME

#### Coast and Western Tri-State Leaguers Being United.

To play two games with some of the Willamette Valley baseball teams on Sunday and Labor day, Jimmy Richardson, the local impressario has gathered an aggregation of left-behind Coast Leaguers and Western Tri-State stars.

His games are still to be signed for, but Jimmy has no doubt that he will have the designations tonight. He can be reached at A. G. Spalding & Bros.

# BALLARD SHUT OUT, 2-0

### SEATTLE GIVES EX-COLTS 9 HITS AND THEN THEY LOSE.

#### Bert Hall Holds Tacoma to Three Scattered Hits and Bees Sting Indians for Five Runs.

Northwestern League Standings.

| | W. | L. | Pct. | | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Vancouver | 87 | 54 | .617 | Tacoma | 60 | 83 | .420 |
| Seattle | 85 | 57 | .599 | Victoria | 60 | 81 | .426 |
| Spokane | 78 | 61 | .561 | Ballard | 54 | 85 | .389 |

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 31.—Seattle won from Ballard today, score 2 to 0. The home team took the game in the first inning when it scored the only two runs of the game. Score.

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Seattle | 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 | 2 | 5 | 2 |
| Ballard | 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 | 0 | 9 | 2 |

Batteries—Dell and Cadman; Peterson and Murray.

#### Vancouver 5, Tacoma 0.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 31.—Bert Hall held Tacoma to three scattered hits today, Vancouver winning the opening game of the series 5 to 0. Score:

| | R. | H. | E. | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tacoma | 0 | 3 | 1 | Vancouver | 5 | 9 | 0 |

Batteries—Osborne and Stevens; Hall and Cheek.

#### Victoria 5, Spokane 1.

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 31.—Victoria won today's game from Spokane by a score of 5 to 1. Spokane failed to score after the first inning. Score:

| | R. | H. | E. | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Spokane | 1 | 6 | 3 | Victoria | 5 | 7 | 1 |

Batteries—Browning and Shea; McHenry and Hoffman.

### CANOE RACE ENTRIES BEGIN

#### Sixty Boats Are Expected to Make Troutdale-Portland Trip.

Names now are coming in to H. G. Chickering, secretary of the Portland Rowing Club, enough to indicate that the Troutdale-Portland canoe cruise will be far more popular than the annual Salem-Portland cruise, which is displaced by the Troutdale trip.

As both friends and members are invited, a party of 60 boats is expected.

A special car has been arranged for and will leave Saturday, September 6, at 6 P. M. The canoes must be loaded on another special car at the clubhouse, Friday night. The start at Troutdale will be made Sunday morning and the arrival in Portland will be about 9 o'clock in the evening of Labor Day.

#### Brown Would Return to Federals.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 31.—Mordecai Brown, deposed manager of the St. Louis Federals, who refused to pitch for the local team after Fielder Jones was appointed manager, has applied for reinstatement, it was announced by an official of the club today. Brown now is in Chicago.

#### Tennis Court to Be Viewed.

Several Portland park officials and local tennis enthusiasts, headed by J. A. Addleman, will inspect the newly opened Washington Park tennis courts this afternoon.

#### Clackamas Veteran Dies.

OREGON CITY, Or., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—Michael Canwell, a veteran of the Civil War, died Sunday evening at the home of his niece, Mrs. J. H. Sweeney, near Clackamas, after a long illness. The funeral will be held at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning at St. John's Church. He was born in Ireland in 1842 and came to the United States when a young man. He had lived in Clackamas County a number of years. He had never been married and is survived only by his niece.

## Baseball Statistics

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

National League.

| | W. | L. | Pct. | | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York.. | 62 | 49 | .559 | Cincinnati.. | 54 | 63 | .462 |
| Boston.... | 62 | 51 | .552 | Philad'phia. | 53 | 61 | .465 |
| St. Louis... | 64 | 56 | .533 | Pittsburg.. | 52 | 62 | .456 |
| Chicago... | 62 | 57 | .521 | Brooklyn... | 52 | 62 | .456 |

American League.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philad'phia | 52 | 38 | .683 | Chicago... | 59 | 63 | .484 |
| Boston.... | 67 | 49 | .578 | St. Louis... | 55 | 64 | .462 |
| Washington | 61 | 56 | .521 | New York.. | 56 | 65 | .463 |
| Detroit.... | 61 | 61 | .500 | Cleveland.. | 39 | 84 | .317 |

Federal League.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago.... | 67 | 52 | .563 | Buffalo.... | 57 | 58 | .496 |
| Ind'apolis.. | 66 | 52 | .559 | Kan. City.. | 56 | 62 | .471 |
| Baltimore.. | 61 | 53 | .535 | St. Louis... | 53 | 68 | .438 |
| Brooklyn.. | 59 | 56 | .513 | Pittsburg... | 48 | 65 | .425 |

American Association.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville.. | 80 | 59 | .575 | Cleveland.. | 70 | 66 | .515 |
| Milwaukee. | 75 | 58 | .564 | Kan. City... | 66 | 71 | .482 |
| Ind'apolis.. | 75 | 63 | .542 | Minneapolis | 63 | 77 | .450 |
| Columbus.. | 71 | 65 | .522 | St. Paul.... | 48 | 89 | .350 |

Western League.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sioux City. | 84 | 49 | .632 | Lincoln.... | 62 | 72 | .463 |
| St. Joseph. | 76 | 56 | .576 | Omaha..... | 61 | 73 | .456 |
| Denver.... | 77 | 58 | .570 | Wichita.... | 51 | 82 | .383 |
| Des Moines. | 69 | 68 | .504 | Topeka.... | 51 | 82 | .383 |

Yesterday's Results.

American Association—Minneapolis 5, Cleveland 4; Columbus 10, St. Paul 3; Milwaukee 1, Louisville 0 (19 innings); Kansas City 2; Indianapolis 1 (12 innings).

Western League—Des Moines 4, Lincoln 2; Sioux City 8, Wichita 3. No other games played.

How the Series Stand.

Pacific Coast League—Traveling day.

Northwestern League—Seattle 1 game, Ballard none; Vancouver 1 game, Tacoma none; Victoria 1 game, Spokane none.

Where the Teams Play Today.

Pacific Coast League—Portland at Sacramento, Los Angeles at San Francisco, and Oakland at Venice.

Northwestern League—Ballard at Seattle, Tacoma at Vancouver, and Victoria at Spokane.

# STRAIN OF SEASON WORKS ON GIANTS

## Demands on Champions Too Heavy for Team to Carry Without Breakdown.

## M'GRAW SEES DANGER

### Constant Prodding Keeps Men at Best for Time but Tension Gets Too Strong Finally and All Crack at Once.

BY CHRISTY MATHEWSON,
Giants' Star Pitcher.

There is some comment on the cracking of a ball club—temporarily, at least. Other clubs have blown up in the past, machines that were potentially greater than the present Giants, but I don't think any of them cracked more suddenly or completely. Still, this cracking of the Giants McGraw had been expecting all season. The whole team went to pieces at once, pitchers, batters and fielders.

The reason that managers and not individuals win baseball championships is because they mould a machine. All great ball clubs have been great machines, the products of managerial genius. Look at the old Cubs, the Athletics and the Pirates in their palmy days. There have been teams of stars that never won a flag because every man was for himself. Take the Philadelphia club in the time of Delehanty, Lajoie and the rest of that crowd, or the Cleveland team later on, when a collection of stars was herded on the pay roll.

Even as great a manager as George Stallings does not make a strong play on stars, but lays his stress in the building of a machine.

"The mistake of most managers is that they go out and try to obtain players who will make good for them in the first minute," said Stallings to me not very long ago. "They are not satisfied unless the recruit shows them something the first day. I have always watched carefully for opportunities to get hold of just the man that I thought would develop, but I have also endeavored to make good with what I had in stock at the time, instead of waiting to pick up a star. When I first put my present first baseman, Schmidt, on the bag, I was widely criticised, but I could truthfully say that he was the best I had then, and that I expected him to develop. He has, and I am thoroughly satisfied with his work."

But, when a carefully constructed machine begins to crack it bursts open very fast. I refer directly to the Giants. The club has been playing under a big strain for the past three years, ever since McGraw won his first championship with the present team back in 1911. Since that time we have been working as champions regularly, and everybody has had his hand turned against the club to beat it if he possibly could, because everybody delights in trimming a champion. How big a strain this has been nobody but the team knows.

McGraw is too old a campaigner in the game not to realize how quickly a ball club can blow up once it starts to dissolve, and he has fought against this danger all season, poking and prodding continually. Up until the time that the Braves started on their great spurt it looked as if he were going to succeed, but the real crash came when the Giants, hard pressed by Boston, started West on the last trip. The pitchers had been unsteady for some time, and, as soon as we took to the road, all other departments crumpled. There was no hitting, no fielding, and smart players made the worst kind of mistakes and pulled "bone" after "bone."

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The slump of the Giants is nothing new to championship teams in baseball and all managers fear just this, the winning of each successive championship increasing the chances of such a fate. McGraw has put three in a row away now, and he knew from the start that grave danger lay ahead in the fourth campaign for the flag. See what the Cubs did in 1909 after they looked like an unbeatable club at the end of the season of 1908. Overconfidence beat them out of their fourth straight pennant. The team came back in 1910 to the pennant, and they figured themselves to be sure in the world's series against the Athletics. The players on the Cubs were so confident of winning that series from the Athletics, then a very young team, that they were spending the winners' end in a poker game the night before the first contest.

Look at the Athletics in 1912 after they seemed to be unbeatable in 1911. Coombs was laid up and two of the other pitchers kept themselves out of shape, they were so sure they would win in any kind of form. The team cracked, and it was the greatest club ever to blow, for it was young, and the Red Sox nosed it out. The Giants won the world's championship in 1905, and they looked like the pennant winners for several seasons to come at the end of that race, but the club broke open the next year. The men felt that they were world's champions and would eventually win—a case of too much confidence again. McGraw gave them some liberties and a chance to use their own judgment, and most of them were playing for their batting averages. The Cubs won the pennant in 1906. "Mac" has never made that mistake since.

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On the other hand, the Boston team has had material handed to it right and left recently. First, Stallings picked up "Red" Smith and filled in the weakest place in his infield with a hard hitter who had been flirting with the Federal League all season because he was dissatisfied in Brooklyn. Next, Stallings was able to purchase Moran from Cincinnati, because there is not a man around the circuit who would be more tickled to see the Giants finally whipped than Herzog. He resents the fact that he sat on the bench in New York last season.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

#### Chicago 4, Washington 3.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—Fournier's two home runs gave Chicago a 4-to-3 victory over Washington in today's 10-inning game.

Johnson relieved Shaw after the locals had tied the score in the seventh and Fournier hit the first ball pitched over Shank's head for the circuit. Washington tied the score again in the ninth and in the 10th inning Fournier again drove a home run to deep left, winning the game. Score: R. H. E.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 | 4 | 9 | 1 |
| Washing'n | 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 | 3 | 7 | 3 |

Batteries—Cicotte, Wolfgang and Schalk; Shaw, Johnson and Williams, Henry.

#### Boston 4-3, St. Louis 1-3.

BOSTON, Aug. 31.—Boston won the first game of the double-header with St. Louis, 4 to 1, and after almost three hours of playing tied the second, 3 to 3, in the 11th, when Umpire Egan called the game because of darkness. Joe Wood, who pitched the second game for Boston, struck out 13 men and allowed eight safe hits.

After Boston had tied the score in the sixth, both sides went scoreless until the 11th, when Scott's error on Shotten, Pratt's double and Williams' single gave the visitors two counts. In their half Boston scored twice on a pass to Gardner and singles by Rehig and Speaker. Boston clinched the first game in the third inning on three singles and a pass. Scores:

| First game— | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 0 * | 4 | 6 | 0 |
| St. Louis | 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 |

Batteries—Foster and Thomas; James, Brickley and Agnew.

| Second game— | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 | 3 | 12 | 6 |
| St. Louis | 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 | 3 | 8 | 1 |

Batteries—Wood and Cady; Hamilton and Agnew.

#### Detroit 9-2, New York 6-3.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Detroit and New York divided their double-header today, the visitors winning the first game in 13 innings, 9 to 6, while New York took a seven-inning game, 3 to 2. The second game was called on account of darkness.

Detroit won the first game by overcoming a six-run lead. In the 11th inning Pich purposely passed Cobb, filling the bases, and then retired Crawford and Veach on pop flies. He was not so fortunate in the 13th, when he again purposely walked Cobb, for Crawford drove a home run into the right-field stand, sending in Bush and Cobb ahead of him.

New York won the second game with two out in the seventh, when Maisel singled, stole second and came home on Hartzell's single. Scores:

| First game— | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Detroit | 0 0 0 0 0 4 2 0 0 0 0 0 3 | 9 | 18 | 2 |
| New York | 4 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 | 6 | 16 | 3 |

Batteries—Dauss and Stanage, Brown, Cole, Keating, Pich and Sweeney.

| Second game— | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Detroit | 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 | 2 | 7 | 0 |
| New York | 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 | 3 | 7 | 1 |

Batteries—Oldham and Baker, McKee; Fisher and Nunamaker.

#### Philadelphia 9, Cleveland 3.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 31.—Philadelphia hit the deliveries of Coumbe and Dillinger hard today and defeated Cleveland, 9 to 3. Pennock was effective with men on the bases and fanned 10 batsmen. Collins gave a great exhibition. In five times up he made two doubles, drew two passes, scored a run and stole three bases.

| Score: | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 | 3 | 10 | 2 |
| Philadelphia | 0 0 5 1 0 0 3 0 * | 9 | 12 | 1 |

Batteries—Coumbe, Dillinger and O'Neill; Pennock and Schang, McAvoy.

### FEDERAL LEAGUE.

#### Chicago 4-1, St. Louis 3-0.

CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—Chicago tied Indianapolis for first place in the Federal League pennant race today by winning both games from St. Louis, 4 to 3 and 1 to 0. Wickland's home run in the eighth inning scored the winning run of the first game, while the single run which won the second game was the result of Cueto's error of Hendrix' grounder, Zeider's single and W. Miller's fumble.

Johnston did not walk a man in the first game and pitched fine ball in the pinches. Hendrix held the visitors to two scattered hits in the second game.

The day was designated as "Fielder Jones" day, in honor of the former White Sox manager. Scores:

| First game— | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 | 3 | 8 | 2 |
| Chicago | 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 1 * | 4 | 9 | 1 |

Batteries—Willett and Chapman; Johnson and Wilson.

| Second game— | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Chicago | 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 * | 1 | 6 | 0 |

Batteries—Keuper and Simon; Hendrix and Wilson.

#### Brooklyn 4, Buffalo 1.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 31.—Timely hits gave Brooklyn the opening game of the series here with Buffalo today, 4 to 1. Score:

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 | 1 | 7 | 2 |
| Brooklyn | 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 1 | 4 | 9 | 3 |

Batteries—Anderson and Lavinge; Finneran and Land.

#### Baltimore 7, Pittsburg 1.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 31.—Making every hit count, Baltimore today defeated the Pittsburg Federals, 7 to 1. Quinn and Russell, the Baltimore battery, each had three hits. Score:

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Baltimore | 0 0 2 2 0 0 0 0 3 | 7 | 12 | 0 |
| Pittsburg | 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 | 1 | 8 | 1 |

Batteries—Quinn and Russell; Camnitz and Roberts.

# BENDER'S SQUAD WORKS

### COLLEGE COACH TAKES TEAM TO IDAHO RETREAT FOR PRACTICE.

#### Veterans of Last Year's Wedge Lost but Trainer Still Hopes to Give Others Good Run.

PULLMAN, Wash., Aug. 31.—Coach John R. Bender, athletic leader at Washington State College, has left with a squad of 20 football men for Upper Twin Lakes, in Idaho, where the Fall training camp will be opened this morning. Coach Bender will take equipment for more than 30 men.

Three candidates for the quarterback position are in the party, the only veteran being Durham, the Spokane boy who last Fall showed up well in several hard games. The other two aspirants for that position are Burnurd and White, both new men. The backfield men and ends are Tyrer, Dietz, Tweed and Bohler, all of last year's squad, and Loomis, Sanderson, Hanley and Fred Glover, all new material. Of last year's linemen who will spend the first day in camp are Langdon, Alvord, Applequist and Fast, while the new men who aspire to line positions are Cooper, Finney, Stites and Weedmark.

Several new men who promise much will join the squad early next week, going direct from their homes. The camp offers every facility for seasoning the players, and it is possible that before the men return to Pullman they will be given some scrimmage. Their daily routine at first, however, will be rowing, swimming, tennis and mountain climbing, with punting and passing as a sideline.

Coach Bender, while not claiming a championship team this early in the season, is still very optimistic despite his heavy loss of veterans. He said:

"We will lose Smith and Gaddis, quarter backs; Shallaberger, full; Vance and Coulter, half backs; Satterthwaite, end; Hinderman, the freshman tackle, not to mention Joe and 'Shorty' Harter, Northwest guard and center, yet we are not complaining and maintain that we can give every team in the conference a run for its money this Fall."

Bender has added a varsity-alumni game to his already heavy schedule, making 11 games for his squad, with only a week separating his conference games. This game is scheduled for September 26 and will open the season on the local gridiron. He is sending out letters to the best of the old-time stars.

More than 30,000,000 pieces of glass will be required for the 500 mosaic panels being prepared for a cathedral which is to be erected in St. Louis.


# Hats Off, Gentlemen!

THE ADVENT of Fall demands that your head covering be stylish and seasonable. 'Tis well for you to view our window and interior displays; they will coach you to a correct selection. We have the famous makes of

**Knox, Warburton, Stetson, Dobbs & Co.'s Fifth Avenue, and The Bristol**

in the soft hats, the high, diamond crowns with light contrasting trimmings, and in all the favored shades of brown, blue, gray and green and in black.

In the stiff hats the noticeable features this season are the higher crowns and narrower brims.

**Knox, Warburton and Dobbs & Co.'s Fifth Avenue Hats $5; Stetsons $4 up.**

The Adelphia, one of the New Fall Stetson's, $4.

THE BRISTOL, THE $3 HAT which this store features, and the best for this price that we know of. Both the soft and the stiff models in the adopted shapes and shades for Fall.

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# TENNIS BETS HEAVY

## McLoughlin 4-to-1 Favorite Over Williams Today.

## HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF

### In Straight Sets Champion Defeats ex-Champion Clothier and Williams Does Likewise to Ellis Fottrell, Coast Star.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 31.—History repeated itself on the Casino Courts today when Maurice E. McLoughlin, of San Francisco, and R. Norris Williams, II., of Philadelphia, won their places in the finals of the all-comers' tournament for the National singles lawn tennis championship.

The betting tonight was 4 to 1 that McLoughlin would capture the title tomorrow for the third time. The odds were somewhat shorter on Williams' ability to take a set from the champion, as he did in the finals last year.

McLoughlin won his place in the finals by defeating former champion William J. Clothier, of Philadelphia, in straight sets, 6-4, 6-4, 6-3. Williams came through with a similar victory over Ellis Fottrell, of San Francisco, 6-4, 6-3, 6-2.

Of the two winners the playing of Williams was the more impressive. He handled fearlessly Fottrell's terrific service, the most severe seen on the Casino Courts this year, not excepting that of McLoughlin. It took him nearly a set, however, to fathom the drives. After that Williams speeded up his own service until he obtained as many aces as Fottrell. The Californian's only attack was his service. He was weak at the net, covered court poorly and lacked generalship.

Clothier played his usual careful, deliberate game against McLoughlin and ran the first set up to four games to three, when McLoughlin jumped in and took the next three games in succession. The champion had a bad slump in the second set, driving to the net repeatedly. Clothier, still playing conservatively, obtained an even longer lead before the champion, with the set four games to one against him, rallied and swept through the next five games with the loss of only four points.

Clothier had little strength left for the third set and but for McLoughlin's errors it would have been over in the seventh game.

In the afternoon Miss Carey, of Newport, and R. Lindley Murray, of San Francisco, won the invitation mixed doubles tournament, defeating Miss Fenno, of Boston, and G. L. Wrenn, Jr., of New York, 6-1, 6-4.

# NEW GOLF MARK SET

### W. C. FOWNES, LEADER OF 104 AMATEURS, MAKES LOW RECORD.

#### Card of 70 at End of First 18-Holes Qualification Play at Ekwanok Best Medal Score.

MANCHESTER, Vt., Aug. 31.—Leading a field of 104 golfers, aspirants for National amateur golf championship honors, W. C. Fownes, of the Oakmont Golf Club, Pittsburg, set a new record for medal amateur championship play today. His card of 70, returned at the end of the first round of 18-holes qualification play over the links of the Ekwanok Country Club, was the lowest ever returned for medal play at an amateur championship meeting in this country. It also set a record for the new Ekwanok course.

Fownes, who was National champion in 1910, had an advantage of two strokes over the second best card of a crack field, R. R. Gorton, of Braeburn, returning a well-balanced 72.

Francis Ouimet, of Woodland, amateur champion of France, and National open champion last year, scored the best performance of the trio of high-ranking players, in which Jerome Travers, present amateur title-holder, and Charles Evans, Jr., of Edgewater, also are grouped. Ouimet's 73 brought him into a tie for third place. Evans returned a 74 for seventh place and Travers was tied for tenth, with a card of 76.

The highest score of the 64 to qualify was 85. Of the 104 starters, 96 returned cards.

## Sounding the Sport Reveille

JUST now it looks like the Boston Braves have by far the best of the argument when it comes to pitchers. Dollarically speaking, they do not look as good as Marquard, Mathewson and Tesreau, but they have put over the victories in an astonishing manner.

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The war started just in time to keep the American and English sport writers from waging a literary war over the international tennis championship.

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The army of the unemployed will have a cool reception here this Winter. The law does not mention wrestlers, but it is taken that they are included in the declaration.

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Digest of today's war news:

Higginbotham has sent Dutch Klawitter the terms of his peace protocol.

The terms—

Upon coming down any street upon which Higg happens to be, Klaw shall immediately make a detour of six blocks.

Likewise, Klaw shall drop all games to Higg.

While the receipt of the message has not been announced in Oakland, it is generally expected that Emperor Klawitter will not accede. Therefore, more war.

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The Democrats will tax baseball tickets and matinee pasteboards, says a Washington headline. Then a war whoop will come from some 30 millions, and that would kill Democracy with women. Why pick out the necessities of life? Could they not just as well tax streetcar tickets or something like that and then we could all walk and get strong?

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No rain for 68 days! This weatherman may be a pretty good sort of a man, but he can't square himself for the dose he handed out at the start of the baseball season. Suppose he is getting ready for a dry football season because Dow Walker has not given him a season pass to Multnomah Field.

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Wow! Wait till McCredie and his aggregation of similarly colored names gets in connection with that German settlement over at Sacramento.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

#### New York 1, Pittsburg 1.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 31.—New York and Pittsburg played a 1-to-1 tie game today. The game was called after the 11th inning to allow the Pirates to catch a train for St. Louis. Score:

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 | 1 | 7 | 1 |
| Pittsburg | 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 | 1 | 12 | 0 |

Batteries—Demaree and Meyers; Harmon and Coleman, Kafora.

#### Chicago 4, Cincinnati 2.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 31.—Errors enabled Chicago to win from Cincinnati today, 4 to 2. Chicago scored two runs in the seventh inning without making a hit, the Cincinnati players making four misplays. The visitors scored their first run on singles by Schulte and Bresnahan and a sacrifice fly by Corriden.

In the ninth inning they added another run to their total when Cheney was hit by a pitched ball, was advanced to second by Leach and scored on Saier's two-base hit. Cincinnati made their runs in the fourth inning, when Cheney was hit for four singles. Score:

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 | 4 | 6 | 0 |
| Cincinnati | 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 | 2 | 5 | 5 |

Batteries—Cheney and Archer; Douglass and Gonzales.

### MT. ANGEL FATS TAKE GAME

#### Silverton Fats Lose, 2 to 13, Despite Using Three Pitchers.

MOUNT ANGEL, Or., Aug. 31.—(Special.)—A large crowd attended the game between the Mount Angel Fats and the Silverton Fats yesterday, in which the Silverton team was defeated by a score of 13 to 2. Benson, the Silverton pitcher, was relieved in the second by Van Valkenberg, but the Angels batted him out of the box, Wolford relieving him. Webb had the Silverton men guessing. The batteries were: Silverton, Van Valkenberg, Benson and Simmeral; Mount Angel, Webb, Smith and Hessing. Teams wanting to play Mount Angel Fats may communicate with Fred Schwab, Mount Angel, Or.

### DAN PATCH'S SON IS VICTOR

#### Electric Patch Carries Off $1000 Purse in Easy Style.

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 31.—Electric Patch, son of the famous Dan Patch, and a good image of his sire, furnished the feature event of the Great Western Circuit races this afternoon by winning the three-year-old-and-under trot by 2:17¾. The races continue to attract a large number of the fair visitors.

Three-year-old-and-under trot, purse $1000—Electric Patch, first, Mabel Trask second, Baroness Parmelia third; time, 2:17¾.

2:[illegible] trot, purse $1000—Stella Advice first, Ora Vidmer second, Sylvia Maurine third; time, 2:12½.

2:12 pace, purse $600—Don Mac first, Symbol Meath second, Fred Taylor third; time, 2:10¾.